

PATENT  
Attorney Docket No. 07040.0227-00

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re U.S. National Phase of )  
International Application No. )  
PCT/EP2003/013559 of: )  
Maurizio GALIMBERTI et al. ) Group Art Unit: 1733  
Application No.: 10/536,833 ) Examiner: J. Fischer  
Filed: May 31, 2005 ) Confirmation No.: 6471  
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For: TYRE FOR TWO-WHEELED )  
VEHICLES )

Commissioner for Patents  
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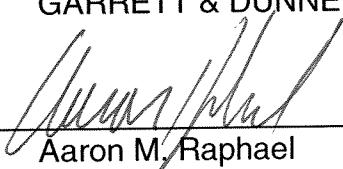
**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Applicants petition for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the Office Action dated August 20, 2007. A fee of \$460.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account No. 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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